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From: BERMAN, TESSA [Berman.Tessa@epa.gov]
Sent: 4/3/2019 7:17:56 PM
To: Castellana, Ben [castellana.ben@epa.gov]
CC: Wise, Robert [Wise.Robert@epa.gov]; MUSANTE, JASON [Musante.Jason@epa.gov]; Allen, HarryL [Allen.HarryL@epa.gov]
Subject: RE: Contacted by 210 Slauson legal representative

Hi Ben,

I would be happy to participate on a call and set it up if necessary. It would be useful for me if we could talk first so that I understand who's who. Is the Dylan (to whom your previous email is addressed) a member of the Devore family (represented by Lebow et al) or are there multiple RPs we are talking to?

I am available to discuss anytime today.

Tessa

From: Castellana, Ben
Sent: Wednesday, April 03, 2019 12:10 PM
To: Wise, Robert <Wise.Robert@epa.gov>; MUSANTE, JASON <Musante.Jason@epa.gov>; Allen, HarryL <Allen.HarryL@epa.gov>
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Hi Rob,
I would like that as well.

Ben

From: Wise, Robert
Sent: Wednesday, April 3, 2019 12:09 PM
To: Castellana, Ben <castellana.ben@epa.gov>
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Ben, I would like either myself, Harry or Jason also on the call.

Sent from my iPhone

On Apr 3, 2019, at 11:20 AM, Castellana, Ben <castellana.ben@epa.gov> wrote:

Hi Tessa,
I was just contacted by Michael Lebow of Slaughter, Reagan, and Cole, representing the Devore family, who owns 210 W. Slauson Ave; they are the Responsible Party for the Slauson Tanker Fire Incident. I told Mr. Lebow that it would be best to have any discussions about the site with EPA Legal Representatives present. His contact information is:

Michael Lebow
Law Offices of Slaughter, Reagan and Cole
(805) 658-7800

I'm pretty open this week, but am in training next week. I wasn't sure if it would be better for you to set up the call or me, but I think you should definitely be on the call. He also indicated that we could set up a call with Bill Slaughter as well.

Thank you,

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